Subject: Events along the LA Waterfront
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FYI – I have sent this to the members of the 3 SP NCs and CD15 and other elected officials. Please feel free to pass this information onto your contacts!

Happy Summer! I hope that you're enjoying your day and looking forward to the weekend!! There are several events which will be held very soon along the LA Waterfront and I would like to remind you of a few of them starting with the **8th annual Cars and Stripes Forever!** which will be held next Friday, July 1st from 5 to 10pm at Harbor Blvd and the Vincent Thomas Bridge. Admission and all activities are free and there will be a fireworks show at 9:20pm. Live music on 2 stages, more than 100 classic cars on display, food and a beer garden, dancing water shows at the Gateway Plaza Fanfare Fountain and a special exhibit by Southern California Ford dealers. The cruise ship/Battleship Iowa parking lot at Harbor Blvd and 1st Street will be open for "low-cost" parking and a couple of Red Trolleys and will be looping to the event sight, thru downtown San Pedro and at CRAFTED at the Port of Los Angeles. Try parking at CRAFTED or in downtown San Pedro (2 stops on 6th Street and 1 on 7th Street) and taking the Red Trolley to the event. The Trolley service is free and it will start at 5pm and go to 11pm.

A **LA Waterfront Movie Night** will be held on Friday, July 15th starting off with family activities from 6:30 to 8PM and the **Disney Pixar film Inside Out** will run from 8:10 to 10pm. 2 locations: The Downtown Harbor in San Pedro (6th Street and Harbor Blvd) and the Wilmington Waterfront Park (1001 W. "C" Street in Wilmington). This too, is a free event and everyone is welcome!

This year's **Port of Los Angeles Lobster Festival** has a new date and venue. The LobsterFest will be held on Friday, July 22nd through Sunday, July 24th at the Battleship Iowa parking lot. For more information please visit, www.lobsterfest.com.

On Saturday, July 30th, International Bird Rescue ("Bird Rescue") is opening its doors at Angels Gate Park, 3601 S. Gaffey Street in San Pedro and host a **community fair with the theme "Preserving Wildlife through Images."** National Geographic photographer and author, Joel Sartore, will present his photos and a message about wildlife conservation. There will also be food trucks, family-friendly activities and behind-the-scenes tours. About Bird Rescue: For 45 years, Bird Rescue has been a global leader in responding to man-made disasters affecting wildlife, such as oil spills and marine debris. In addition to a fully-equipped emergency response center in Alaska, Bird Rescue runs two world-class wildlife centers in California which care for more than 5,000 animals each year, including pelicans, herons, shorebirds, and other aquatic species. This is made possible by over 60,000 volunteer hours kindly provided each year by a diverse group of retirees, nurses, students, and others. To date, response teams have led rescue efforts in more than 200 spills across six continents. Bird Rescue is a proud partner in the State of California's Oiled Wildlife Care Network(OWCN), which is hosted

at the School of Veterinary Medicine at the University of California at Davis, as well as the Global Oiled Wildlife Response System (GOWRS), a consortium of leading experts trying to solve the challenges of oiled wildlife outside of currently covered geographies. RSVPs: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/preserving-wildlife-in-images-a-community-event-with-joel-sartore-tickets-26187967917?aff=efbevent and you can go to https://www.facebook.com/events/699455936860388/ for further information.

Have a wonder summer and I'm looking forward to seeing you at one or more of these events! PLEASE FEEL FREE TO PASS THIS INFORMATION ON.....

Sincerely,
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